Weather

Mostly cloudy today, tonight and tomorrow with periods of rain and little change in temperature. Highest today mostly in the 60's; lowest tonight, 55 to 60. High tomorrow 65 to 70.

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Bowen Warns On Vandalism At Old School

Bristol Township Manager Richard J. Bowen today warned against continued "vicious Vandalism" at the old Croydon School, State Road and Emily Ave., which is being repaired and converted for use as the Croydon branch of the Regional Public Library.

Bowen said the old frame building has been "disgracefully damaged, apparently by youngsters" in recent months. He said any youngsters caught breaking windows or otherwise damaging the building from now on will be arrested and detained, pending action by the proper authorities.

Work Begins

Work started yesterday to replace broken windows and restore damaged plumbing and other fa-

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Good Evening!

Bucks County back in the news.

This time it's all good, however. Considering the fact we're getting a huge state park to serve Southeastern Pennsylvania it has to be.

We've been saying all along that there are exciting things ahead for this beautiful and historic end of the state and the park announced last night by Forests and Waters Secretary Goddard is another bit of thrilling evidence.

Next best news we note this a.m. is that it has quit raining.

For how long we don't know because the weatherman simply disregards our pleas and advice. Anyhow, there's the sun for a few minutes and it looks rather familiar.

Dave Norman, the businessman traveler, blames us for all of the gloomy skies. Some day he's going to talk himself into writing a column.

And Otto Grupp and the missus are back from an extended tour over most of the European geography and no question about it, he'll have some interesting observations to make.

Next flight out is for Les Thorne and his wife. You know, this is about the most traveling community in the whole land.

Okay, another big day of football tomorrow.

Maybe you didn't ask for it but here it is: Princeton over Columbia, Penn State over Missouri, Penn over Dartmouth, Villanova over Dayton and Drexel over Lebanon Valley. Don't say we didn't tell you.

Old Khrush throws another tantrum as Prime Minister Macmillan cooly assesses vital world issues before the U. N.

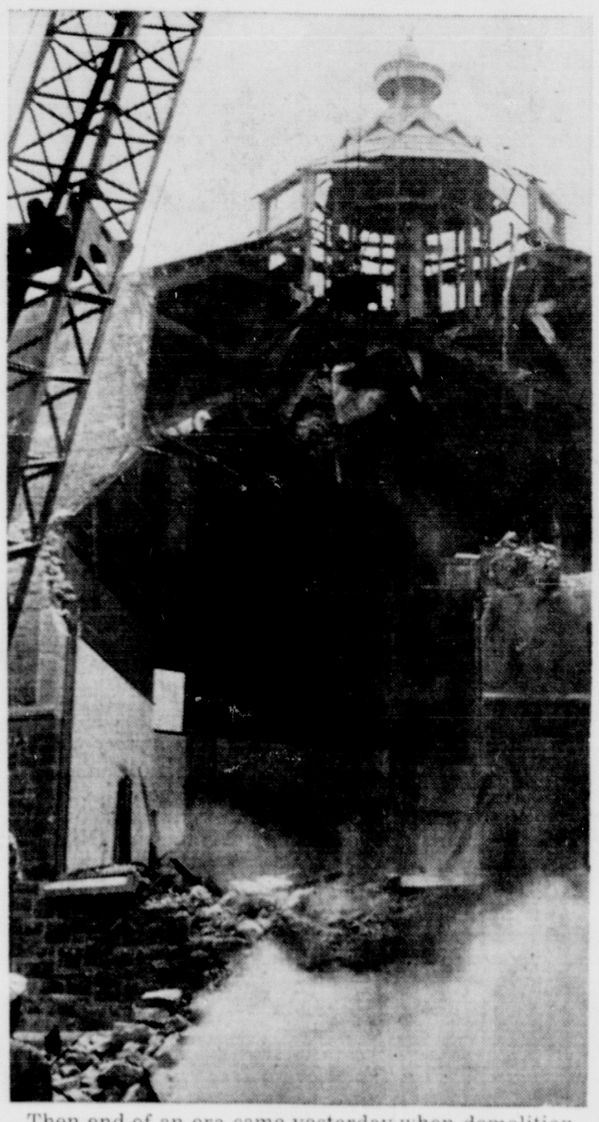
Nikita is succeeding in proving one thing: He'll never become a habit with the American people or any other people understanding something of human dignity, human decency.

The real danger in sending a man to the moon is that he'll probably bring back home movies to bore his friends.

The people who were once known as underprivileged are now called overfinanced.

Drive carefully, please.

Down She Goes



Then end of an era came yesterday when demolition of the Bucks County Courthouse began in Doylestown. Five of the 12 sides of the unique structure have already been torn down. (Courier-Times Photo)

Five Sides Down

Bucks Courthouse Reduced To Rubble

An 83-year - old Bucks County landmark that has been recorded in history, art and best - selling fiction, the brownstone Bucks County Courthouse, in Doylestown, was half reduced to rubble in a few hours yesterday afternoon.

A "clamshell" scoop atop a 25-ton crane, with an extra 20 tons at the base for ballast, deftly pulled apart the old building.

By 4 p.m. five of the 12 sides were down.

A hundred fascinated spectators watched the job, some with awe and some with sadness. A gray haired woman was seen weeping at the scene, and fled before a reporter could approach to ask her name and sentiment.

The crane first attached the big courtroom wing, and had the job five - twelfths done at 4 p.m. The rectangular part of the courthouse, the old administration building, the county agricultural building and the Lehman office building are all to be leveled in three weeks.

A three - million dollar judicial wing will be erected on the site within two years, to join the seven story administration building already there.

Artists have often painted the old courthouse, which has been visited by many tourists who heard of the unique design of the 12 - sided courtroom. Novelist James Gould Cozzens recreated it in the pages of "The Just and the Unjust."

A 2200 pound stone lion over congregation increased. "The temple became too small for the

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Public Hearing Tonight For Ex-Chief Stewart

The first public hearing in the case of ousted Bristol Township Chief of Police John R. Stewart is scheduled for 8 o'clock tonight at the township municipal building, according to John Justus Bodley, Bucks County commissioner and Stewart's attorney.

Stewart has appealed his dismissal, which was ordered by a nine-to-one vote of the township board of commissioners last month, and will present the opening arguments in his behalf tonight.

The three-man Civil Service Board of the township will hear the case.

Tohickon Site To Include 7-Mile Lake

Creation of a great state park in Bucks County to serve the populous Delaware Valley and Lehigh Valley areas will be started almost immediately, Maurice K. Goddard, secretary of the Pennsylvania Department of Forests and Waters, annouced last night.

The new "playground" for the southeastern part of the state will be located along Tohickon Creek near Haycock Mountain, in the upper part of the county almost midway between Quakertown and the Delaware River.

Secretary Goddard said $1,000,000 is already available through the General State Authority for land acquisition. In the next few weeks representatives of the Authority and the Forests and Waters Department will begin preliminary studies and surveys. Within three or four months complete details of the park development program will be announced at public meetings, Goddard stated.

Seven-Mile Lake

A seven-mile-long artificial lake will be created in the park, expected to be comprised of several thousand acres of rolling Upper Bucks woodlands, ideally located and perfectly adaptable for park purposes.

The park will have every facility for bathing, boating, picnicking, camping and conservation.

Goddard made the park announcement last night at the annual meeting of the Delaware Valley Protective Association at the New Hope High School, attended by some 300 members and guests and presided over by Hal H. Clark, Doylestown, president.

His discussion of the project climaxed a speaking program in which Secretary S. A. Bontempo of the New Jersey Department of Conservation and Economic Development and Editor George G. Gray of the Courier-Times participated.

Bontempo reviewed both conservation and development programs of New Jersey and discussed generally long-range regional programs designed to benefit both New Jersey and Pennsylvania.

Challenges Association

Gray challenged the Delaware Valley Protective Association to exert its good offices, influence and activity toward dissipating lethargy and inaction at municipal, county and state level in connection with solving Bucks County problems relating to sanitation, inadequate water supply, flood control and a Soil Conservation District.

"All we seem to have been doing here during the past half dozen years," said Gray, "is to plan, survey and study. This has become something of a favorite pastime. But more tragically, it has come to serve as inexcusable justification for delaying and even ignoring pressing problems affecting every facet of our Bucks County community pattern. Everybody plans, nobody does anything."

In announcing the new regional state park, Secretary Goddard said that the park is one of a series of large - scale recreation areas that will be built around the state's large population centers "as part of a program to ring your major cities with scenic and recreational outlets that can contribute so much to our economic growth."

The General Assembly authorized $2,000,000 in General State Authority Funds in its last session to be used for acquiring lands for regional parks around Philadelphia and Pittsburgh. Half of this amount has been allocated for purchase of a new park north

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Housekeeper Rescues Tots From Fire

Four-and-a-half year old Charles Shelmet was taken upstairs by a housekeeper for his afternoon nap yesterday.

Mrs. Jesse Ellis of Trenton, the housekeeper, was in the den of the Shelmet home at 529 Stevens Road, Pennsbury Heights, ironing clothes and keeping a watchful eye on Charles' year-old sister Kathleen.

Frank Shelmet and his wife, Florence were at work, their other children, Frank, 12, Deborah, 10, Joseph, 8 and Cecelia, 6, attending classes at Morrisville's Holy Trinity School.

Pepper Was Quiet

Pepper, the family dog, wandered quietly about the house.

A neighbor's telephone call at 1:20 p.m. brought five local volunteer fire companies in 12 trucks racing to the Falls Township residence to quell a blaze that almost consumed the dwelling.

Investigation disclosed brown-haired, big blue-eyed Charles had not been asleep, as the housekeeper thought.

Started By Candle

The fire was started by a candle. According to police, Charles said he lit a candle in the pilot light of the kitchen gas stove, took it upstairs to his bedroom and put it on a table, next to some papers. The candle fell over onto the papers, setting them afire, the young ster said.

Charles tried in vain to blow out the flames. He ran to the bathroom for water. When the flames refused to die, he ran down stairs to Mrs. Ellis yelling, "fire, fire." The housekeeper ran upstairs. She was greeted by a wall of smoke and flame when she opened the child's bedroom door. Mrs. Ellis raced downstairs, tucked a child under each arm and fled to the home of Mrs. Audrey Santoro, who lives next door. Mrs. Santoro's telephone call brought the firemen.

Ruined Upstairs

Mrs. Shelmet told police the youngster had seen his parents

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President Hal H. Clark of the Delaware Valley Protective Association, (seated) looks over a copy of the formal announcement of a great regional park for Bucks County, as speakers for the association's annual meeting at New Hope last night look over his shoulder: left to right, Dr. Maurice K. Goddard, secretary of the Pennsylvania Department of Forests and Waters; Col. S. A. Bontempo, secretary of the New Jersey Department of Conservation and Economic Development; George G. Gray, editor of the Courier-Times, and Bernard D. Murphy, chief engineer for Dr. Goddard's department. (Courier-Times Photo)

At Dick Hearing

New Murder Motive Is Revealed By Chief

Police Chief William F. Riempp disclosed last night that Bernard S. Dick allegedly murdered his mother - in - law Mrs. Hannah Sullivan, because she resisted his sexual attack.

The disclosure came after a hearing in which the 19-year-old youth was formally charged with murder and held without bail for the next term of the Bucks County Grand Jury. The hearing was held at the office of JP Josephine Morris in Trevose.

During the hearing, Riempp never specifically said what Dick's motive was. However, he implied the motive by citing the results discovered by a criminal laboratory after an examination of the clothing Dick wore at the time of the murder.

After the hearing Riempp said that the woman was bludgeoned to death with a claw hammer because she had refused to participate in a "perverted sexual act"

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Interest Expressed

Four Municipalities Plan To Join Cooperation Unit

Four more Lower Bucks County municipalities last night indicated interest in becoming formal Regional Cooperation Committee members, following a meeting of government officials from 10 municipalities.

Ray Westerfield, Lower Southampton Township manager, said he would recommend joining the committee to his board of supervisors at the next meeting. William Struwe, Lower Makefield Township manager, stated his municipality would join immediately.

Morrisville's Borough council will receive a recommendation to become a committee member, Robert Steward, borough manager said. William Vietch, Bristol Borough council president, said he would recommend affiliation with the regional organization during the council's next meeting. Louis Paone, a council member said he might lend his support to Vietch's proposal.

Strong Interest

This will bring the total Regional Cooperation Committee membership to eight municipalities. Included as members now are Bristol, Middletown and Falls Townships and Tullytown Borough.

Other municipalities represented at last night's meeting in Middletown attended by more than 45 government officials, were from Langhorne, Penndel and Hulmeville Boroughs. Their representatives indicated strong interest in the regional cooperation idea.

Formal membership in the committee means each municipality shares in the operating costs. Milton Berkes, committee chairman, said the organization, during its three years of operation has spent less than $500. Of this amount, $200 was recently spent on a joint regional zoning map, Berkes revealed.

"The cost of cooperation itself is not great, but the savings are

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On Library Referendum

Committee Named To Direct Campaign

Dr. Charles Muschell, chairman of the Federated Library Development Committee, today announced the appointment of an 11-member executive committee to help supervise the library referendum campaign.

The committee is composed of civic, community and business leaders.

In naming the committee, Dr. Muschell said, "These people are ina position to realize the value that a good, solid, well established library system would have to a growing, progressive, prosperous community.

"They are deeply interested in supporting the library referendum on the November 8 ballot. They have graciously consented to devote some time from their busy schedules and serve on this important committee.

Committee Members

Appointed to the committee are: J. W. Crosby, president of Thiokol Chemical Corporation;

Jack Dufford, Paterson Parch-

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Inside Today

HIGH ROAD, LOW ROAD — A Fairless Hills family visited Scotland this summer. They all took the high road, but two of them got there first. For the story, see Page 11.

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Shofar Signals Sundown Services



Rabbi Herbert Hendel of Temple Shalom, Levittown, will herald tonight the beginning of Yom Kippur, the "Day of Atonement" for those of Jewish faith by blowing a ram's horn or shofar, one of the world's oldest musical instruments, used by the ancient Hebrews as a battle trumpet or at sacred festivals. The holiday is the most sacred and solemn in Jewish tradition, celebrated by prayer and fasting. Rabbi Hendel recently succeeded Rabbi Herbert Wilner. (Courier-Times Photo By Snow)

New Murder

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and possibly had rushed to the telephone for help.

Dick, an Army deserter, has already confessed to the murder of his attractive mother - in - law in her Belmont Hills home Sept. 19.

Asked For Evidence

Riempp implied what Dick's motive was while under questioning by the youth's attorney Donald Van Artsdalen.

Van Artsdalen had asked Riempp whether he had any evidence to suspect a motive.

Riempp appeared somewhat taken back by the question. He looked at County District Attorney Paul A. Beckert. Beckert nodded.

The Riempp answered, "I have an apparent motive."

Blood Stains

Asked to explain by Van Artsdalen, Riempp described the blood stains on Dick's T-shirt and other stains on his khaki trousers which he allegedly wore at the time of the murder.

The blood on Dick's T-shirt was identified as belonging to Mrs. Sullivan by the crime laboratory in Philadelphia, Riempp said.

The police chief said that only Mrs. Sullivan's blood Type A, was found on the T-shirt. There were no traces of Dick's blood - Type O, he said.

Enters No Plea

Van Artsdalen last night said that his client did not wish to enter a plea.

Questioned by District Attorney Beckert, Riempp described the events that followed Mrs. Sullivan's murder that Monday evening.

Riempp said that the blood stains on the floor and walls in the kitchen of the Sullivan home at 4934 Hillside Ave. showed that there had been a strugg'e. Her body had been dragged down the cellar steps. The woman's features were battered beyond recognition, Riempp said.

He said that the claw hammer found nearby, on later examination revealed that it had Mrs. Sullivan's blood and hair upon it.

Confessed

Riempp related how Dick was found the next morning less than a mile from the scene. He later confessed and signed a written statement at the State Police Barracks in Fairless Hills, Riempp said.

Dick sat between Chief County Detective Clarence Irwin and attorney Van Artsdalen during the hearing. He spoke only twice, answering "yes" when JP Morris asked him whether he understood the charges against him and if he knew why he was brought to her office.

The rest of the time he sat motionless and kept his eyes fixed on his handcuffed wrists.

The youth's father-in-law, Eugene Sullivan, was at the hearing. He was accompanied by Mrs. Sullivan's brother, Robert Barnes, who lives next door.

Barnes had met Dick at the front door of the Sullivan home a few minutes after the woman had been murdered. He had noticed blood on Dick's right hand and was told by Dick that he had cut himself.

Sullivan and Barnes sat together in a corner in silence throughout the hearing. Neither was called upon to offer any evidence.

Housekeeper Rescues 2 Tots In Pennsbury Heights Blaze

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lighting candles for illumination when the house was without power during a storm several weeks ago.

Shelmet said he had no estimate of the damage from the flames that ruined the upstairs of his home and damaged the first floor.

At least 100 firemen worked nearly an hour to stop the spread of flames.

Sherwood Taylor, Falls Township Fire Co. No. 1's assistant chief in charge of the fire fighting operation, said the blaze must have been roaring for more than 15 minutes before he arrived with his men.

Taylor termed the house, "the next thing to a total loss." "It will take a pile of money to pay for the repairs," he stated.

The family, who came to this area from Trenton four years ago, spent the night at a brother's home, John P. Shelmet, 550 Stvens Road.

"I thought someone was playing a practical joke when the called me at work in the Morrisville Shopping Center, Mrs. Shelmet said.

"Then I recognized Mrs. Kennedy's voice," the woman explained "Oh my God, are my kids all right, I shouted into the telephone," Mrs. Shelmet said. Mrs. Kennedy told the distraught woman her youngsters were safe.

Clothes Gone

The woman said Charles' room was completely destroyed. "Only the bed springs are left. All the boy's clothes are gone." Mrs. Shelmet said.

Mrs. Ellis said the flames, "just jumped out," when she opened the door to her young charge's room. "I had a child under each arm when I ran next door," the housekeeper stated.

Fire companies assisting the Falls organization included the Fairless Hills Volunteer Fire Co., Levittown No. 1, and the Union Fire Co. No. 1 and Capitol View Fire Co., both from Morrisville. They used more than 1,000 feet of hose to bring water to quell the flames.

Act As Cold War Impasse Grows Worse

UNITED NATIONS, N.Y. (UPI) — Five top neutralist countries today called upon President Eisenhower and Soviet Premier Nikita Khrushchev to resume their personal diplomacy with a face-to-face conference.

Premier Jawaharlal Nehru of India, President Gamal Abdel Nasser of the United Arab Republic, President Sukarno of Indonesia, President Tito of Yugoslavia and President Kwame Nkrumah of Ghana submitted for immediate General Assembly action a resolution asking the meeting.

The move resulted from a "neutralist summit conference" held last night at the Yugoslav Embassy in New York. It followed a personal appeal earlier this week from Nasser for the two men to meet and discuss disarmament.

The five neutralist leaders acted as the cold war impasse grew steadily worse. A two-hour meeting Thursday night between British Prime Minister Harold Macmillan and Soviet Premier Nikita Khrushchev ended in complete deadlock.

The situation was so serious that Macmillan decided to fly to Washington this weekend for a conference with Eisenhower on the Soviet's roughhouse tactics in the United Nations and to coordinate Allied strategy for the fight ahead.

There were rumors Eisenhower might make a third visit to New York during the U.N. session but there still was no indication he would meet with Khrushchev. They have not met since May when Khrushchev torpedoed the Paris summit conference.

Macmillan and Khrushchev were reported not to have discussed a possible Eisenhower-meeting. Eisenhower has opposed such a meeting until Russia meets certain conditions but Khrushchev has indicated he would accept a meeting.

Polish Communist Leader Wladyslaw Gomulka launched a determined counterattack in the General Assembly on Macmillan's speech Thursday in which the British leader defended West Germany against Communist charges of rising militarism there.

Bucks County Is Chosen As Site For Gigantic Pa. State Park

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of Pittsburgh. The remainder is for acquisition of the Bucks County location.

Goddard told the gathering that the Tohickon Park will be located on one of four reservoir sites pinpointed by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers in its recommended plan for development of the Delaware River. All four would be developed eventually by the Commonwealth for recreation and water supply.

Goddard said he decided against purchasing a recommended location on French Creek in Chester County because "plans are already under way to develop the Brandywine Creek in that county with 12 reservoirs, three of which will be developed as state parks."

Protects the Market

A second site near Evansburg in Montgomery County could not be purchased with funds presently available, he explained, since the $1,000,000 allocated by the General State Authority is only a fraction of the $4,000,000 needed for purchase of that area.

He commented that he has found "through experience that it is harmful to local landowners for the state to purchase land as money becomes available," continuing:

"If we go too slowly in acquiring properties, we tend to cast a pall over the local real estate market and I want to avoid this if at all possible."

He added that for the same reason it was decided not to start purchasing another recommended reservoir area near Newtown on Neshaminy Creek in Lower Bucks County. Its cost has been estimated by the Army Corps of Engineers at $9,500,000.

For Future Development

The Forests and Waters Secretary remarked, however, that further consideration for the other sites should be given in future sessions of the legislature. "In the next 20 years we are going to need water badly in the Delaware Valley. The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers has estimated that these four reservoirs — Newtown, Tohickon, Evansburg and French Creek — will be needed by the year 2010 for water supply. "If they are to be ready when we require them, they must be built soon. But we must get the money first."

"Given the funds currently in hand, it is our opinion that the Tohickon reservoir is the best place for us to start the regional park system for Southeastern Pennsylvania. It is a highly scenic and historic area, relatively undeveloped, with a potential for serving the millions of the greater Philadelphia and the Allentown-Bethlehem - Easton areas.

Many Park Facilities

"The reservoir, as recommended by the Army Corps of Engineers, would be roughly 7.3 miles long and cover about 1,250 acres. Additional land around the manmade lake would be required for park development. When completed the facility would include opportunities for beach bathing, boating, fishing, camping, organized group activities, nature study, conservation and vista areas.

"Considerable study must be made of the area before we will be able to tell you the exact location of the dam, how big it will be, and what properties will be taken. We will carry out aerial and topographic surveys and pay particular attention to local property problems in drawing the park boundaries.

"When all specific information has been compiled, we will then call a public meeting of all landowners in the area and point out specifically what properties will be affected.

Will Deal Fairly

"I want to assure property holders, however, that they will be offered a fair price equivalent to going values on the local real estate market. The land will be appraised by local appraisers. Wherever possible we will avoid severing properties and will be as fair as we can in dealing with you.

"In the next few weeks you will undoubtedly see representatives of Mr. Caruso and the General State Authority, or people from my own department, in your neighborhood making surveys and other studies.

"Within two or three months we will announce the public meeting for property owners and at that time I hope that we can provide all the answers you want."

Guests at Dinner

Prior to the annual meeting, Secretary Goddard, several members of his staff, Secretary Bontempo, Gray, County Commissioners J. J. Bodley and Andy Andrews, and a few others were guests of President Clark and other officers of the Delaware Valley Protective Association at dinner at Logan Inn in New Hope.

Following the speaking program at the high school, Clark was re-elected president of the association, now in its 27th year and highly influential in affairs having to do with conservation and enhancement of the county's natural and human resources as well as its great number of historic landmarks. Clark's annual report reflected increasing interest of the association in Delaware Valley affairs.

Other Officers

Other officers elected included: Joseph D. Ceader, Riegelsville; first vice president; Berthold Sorby, Stockton, N. J., second vice president; Samuel J. Thompson, Perkasie, third vice president; Nelson G. MacKissic, New Hope, treasurer; Col. Daniel G. Haynes, New Hope, Secretary; Miss Jean Tweed, Lumberville, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Lalen C. Krisher, Jenkintown, historian.

Just before the close of the meeting President Clark and former presidents of the association honored Secretary Goddard by presenting him a plaque as a token of appreciation for his services.

Municipalities

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tremendous," the Falls Townshp Board of Supervisors chairman stated.

Berkes urged those present to attend the monthly committee meetings in any capacity they wish and help discuss, and study, regional problems, so that recommendations as to remedial action can be passed to local law makers.

Serving as discussion leaders last night were Berkes, Charles M. Mechior, Middletown Township manager, Richard Bowen, Bristol Township manager, Robert Erwin, Falls Township manager and Wilbur C. Webb, representing the Pennsylvania Economy League and the Bureau of Municipal Research.

Many Ideas

Bowen said many ideas that could easily be adopted by the various municipalities had been offered.

"Many things were suggested tonight that could die. Be present at the committee's next meeting Oct. 27 in Falls Township to discuss these projects," the Bristol Township official said.

Berkes, who opened the meeting with a review of the committee's past achievements, said there were more municipal officials at the meeting than at any other similar meeting he had ever attended in the area.

Topics Discussed

Topics discussed were:

A regional approach to park acquisition, development and operation-Melchior.

To what extent is purchasing on a regional basis practical?—Bowen.

A possible role for the Committee in public transportation-Webb.

Pushing major state highway programs for Lower Bucks-Erwin.

The economics of regional equipment maintenance-Bowen.

Making common cause on the amusement tax-Melchior.

Improving in - service training for local officials-Bowen.

Not Specific

No attempt was made by the group to solve specific problems or to make specific recommendations. The discussion leaders recommended areas in which mutual cooperation would result in the saving of the taxpayers' money and produce more efficient and economical local government.

Melchior suggested a uniform regional amusement tax rate or a consultation between municipalities before the passage of such a tax. He said amusement operators complain about the varying taxes now in existence.

Committee

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ment Paper Company vice president of Industrial relations;

Thomas Coe Sr., executive vice president of the Bucks County offices of Central Penn Bank;

Maynard John Rich, assistant superintendent of the Fairless Works of U.S. Steel Corp.;

William Aitken, manager of the Bristol plant of the Minnesota Mining and Manufacturing Company;

George G. Gray, editor of the Bristol Courier-Levittown Times;

William Ingraham, president of the Lower Bucks County Chapter of the American Red Cross;

Mrs. Dorothy Lewis, president of the Bucks County Federation of Women's Clubs;

William Henwood, vice president of Meenan Oil Company;

Rev. Regis Stafford, principal of Bishop Egan High School; and

Mrs. Ann Nanavaty, president of the Association of American University Women.

County Demos Want Boyer To Step Down

The Bucks County Democratic Executive Committee today called on Edward B. Boyer, Republican county commission chairman arrested last week on extortion and bribery charges, to "step down" as commissioner.

The Democrats also urged "that the law" enforcement agencies move without delay to have the charges made against Mr. Boyer disposed of in accordance with due process of law."

No date has been set for a hearing of the charges before Newtown Justice of the Peace Leon Milnor.

The Democratic Committee resolution was announced today. On Tuesday the county Democrats released a statement by two former county commissioners, one from each party, asking that Boyer "resign immediately." They were John T. Welsh, Democrat, and Thomas R. Lewis, Republican.

The Democratic Executive Committee stand was taken Tuesday night at a meeting attended by all 40 members. It was unanimously adopted.

It contrasts with a milder stand taken by the Republican Executive Committee last week that:

"If Boyer is guilty of all or any of the charges which have been filed against him, we as a party feel that he should be prosecuted and dealt with in accordance with the law and we will demand his immediate resignation as county commissioner upon receipt of evidence and information from the district attorney or upon trial or any other source of information to convince us of his guilt."

450 Educators Attend Conference

About 50 educators more than the 400 who had been expected attended the Association of Supervision and Curriculum Department Conference held yesterday at Woodrow Wilson High School, according to Wilson Principal Frank Furgele.

The conference, sponsored by the Southeastern District of the Pennsylvania State Education Association, was the first of its kind ever to be held in a Bucks County educational center, Furgele said.

Philadelphia Woman Stricken

No Cases Of Polio Reported In Bucks

There have been no cases of polio, "not even any suspected cases," in Bucks County so far this year, according to Miss Elizabeth Ogden, director of nursing of the county health department.

Miss Ogden, expressing surprise when told yesterday of the first reported case of the disease in Philadelphia this year, said not a single case has been reported to her department since 1959, when there were three cases. In 1958 there were two persons stricken by the crippling disease in the county, as there were in 1957. In 1956 there were five cases reported.

Miss Ogden said health department officials "have no doubt" that the low incidence of the disease in the area is the result of the Salk polio vaccine. She added that all persons, children and adults alike, who have not already had the vaccine shots should get them immediately.

Dr. Norman R. Ingraham, acting Philadelphia health commissioner said the victim there, Mrs. Mary Cunningham, 28, is recovering from paralytic polio in her South Philadelphia home. Mrs. Cunningham had not received any of the Salk vaccine.

Dr. Ingraham said it was the first time in the history of the health department "we have gone so far into the year without a case of polio."

Bowen Warns

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cilities in the building, preparatory to the expected move-in of the library unit by about Nov. 1.

Bowen said the exterior of the building will be sided with aluminum, the three acres of ground on which it stands will be restored, and plans will be made to turn the entire property into a community center.

Present plans call for the installation of the library branch in only one end of the building. The rest of the structure, Bowen said, will be available for whatever community use might be decided upon.

Courthouse

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the old Administration Building became the property of Robert Dilworth, an employe of the Prothonotary's office who obtained it from the contractor. He paid the Doylestown Fire Co. $5 to take it down and put it in the trunk of his car.

Dilworth said he will let the lion guard his home, in Doylestown.

TOMORROW'S TIDES At Bristol*

High 12:33 a.m. Low 7:43 a.m.
High 1:01 p.m. Low 8:06 pm.

*—For the tides at Morrisville, add 15 minutes for high tide and 45 minutes for low tide.

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Births

Lower Bucks County Hospital

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Mr. and Mrs. Heinz Blessing, 23 Idlewild Road, Levittown, twin boys

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Johnson, 34 Summer Lane, Levittown, boy

Mr. and Mrs. William Keys, 309 Buckley St., Bristol, girl

Mr. and Mrs. John Matusek, 819 Cedar Ave., Croydon, girl

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Schleigh, 2757 Clifton Drive, Cornwells Heights, boy

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Succa, 115 Bald Cypress Lane, Levittown, girl

Mr. and Mrs. Nick Vitale, 39 Newberry Lane, Levittown, boy.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Whitman, 32 Haven Road, Levittown, girl

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Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Everk, 4401 Fayette Drive, Bristol, boy

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hepburn, 31 Crescent Lane, Levittown, boy

Mr. and Mrs. Fredrick Holly, 715 Pond St., Bristol, girl

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Ponusky, 430 Washington St., Bristol, girl

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Rittltr, 2720 Crest Ave., Bristol, boy

Fire News Tip Wins $5 Award

Sandra Povio, 52 Inbrook Road, Levittown, is last week's winner in Courier - Times news tip contest. She won $5.

Sandra reported a fire in a mailbox on the corner of Icepond Road and Indian Creek Drive.

Going In Circles

By Phil Weck



Councilman Louis Paone of Bristol's 2nd Ward is a man who believes that people should speak up if they want to get things done. Particularly at Borough Council meetings.

Paone thinks that the bylaws which govern public participation in council meetings are far too strict. According to Rule 15 of those bylaws, he says, no one who is not a council member or borough official can open his mouth until a resolution is introduced at the meeting, properly seconded and then passed by unanimous vote of all the councilmen present.

That's where the rub comes, Paone maintains—in that unanimous vote provision. In practice it doesn't mean much since as soon as a borough resident indicates he has something to say, the resolution, the second and the unanimous vote are readily forthcoming.

However, it could be a real gag on the public if only one councilman decided to jam the works, Paone points out. Things just aren't done that way in other municipalities of Lower Bucks, he believes, or in very many legislative proceedings throughout the country.

He's right there. Even the Congress of the United States has a rule similar to Bristol's but which calls for only a majority vote. However, except for the President and visiting dignitaries of foreign nations such as kings or other heads of government, the House of Representatives has asked only one non-representative to speak out in lo, these many years, according to Bucks County's Rep. Willard Curtin.

That one was poet and student of Lincoln lore Carl Sandburg who talked before the House several years ago on Lincoln's birthday anniversary.

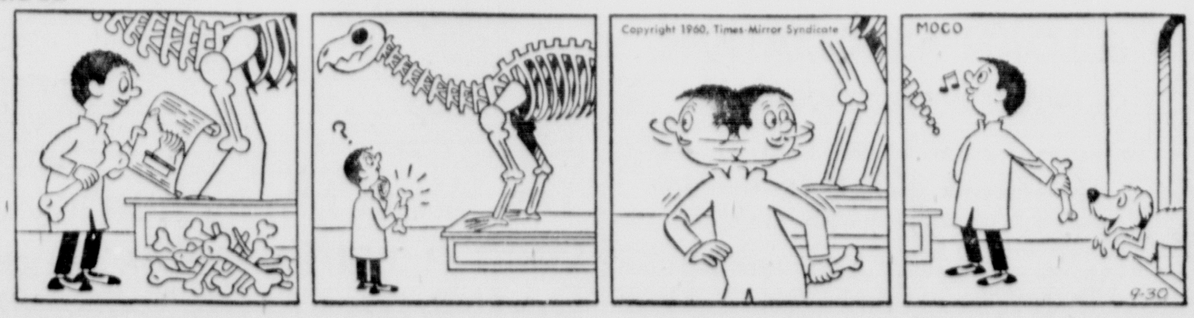
The state House of Representatives in Harrisburg runs things the same way although it is a bit freer with its invitations. Pete Cimino, Bristol's star athlete, spoke on the floor of the House last year, on a resolution sponsored by State Rep. James J. A. Gallagher, after Cimino had rung up his startling 114 points in a basketball game.

In most of the townships or boroughs around here, residents can talk merely upon recognition of the presiding officer. Falls Township and Tullytown set aside a period for the public at each regular meeting when citizens can talk their heads off, and a lot of them do. In Bensalem, when they get excited, they sometimes don't even wait to be recognized.

But not in Bristol Borough. Paone would like to change Rule 15, he says. Changing a bylaw is an involved proceeding. The public is behind him, however, he's sure, and he wishes they'd speak up.

If only they could.

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Man, 71, Drives Off Road, Escapes Unhurt

William Lang, 71, of 102 South Broad St., Philadelphia, went off Stony Hill Road while driving in Lower Makefield at 8:30 o'clock last night.

Police said Lang was uninjured. Estimated damage to the car was placed at $200.

Congressman's Son Continues Studies

Lawrence B. Curtin, son of Congressman and Mrs. Willard S. Curtin, Glen Valley Rd., Morrisville, has enrolled as a senior sociology major at Gettysburg College. He is a graduate of Pennsbury High School.

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Fairless Hills and Levittown firemen hurl fire-ruined furnishings from the bedroom of the house owned by Frank Shelmet, 529 Stevens Road, Pennsbury Heights, after flames gutted the interior yesterday. The fire was started when one of Shelmet's sons, Charles, 4, lit a candle, took it to his room. The candle toppled into some paper on a table and the blaze was under way. (Courier-Times Photo)

Yardley Civic Club To Hold Annual Fall Dance Tonight

The Yardley Civic Club will hold its fall dance at the Trenton Country Club at 9 p.m. tonight. Mrs. John J. Litwin and Mrs. Herbert Wood are chairmen of the event.

Music during the affair will be provided by the Kip Harbourt Orchestra. The committee in charge of arrangements for the dance includes Mrs. Lee E. Bye, Mrs. J. S. Titus and Mrs. Seward Carter.

Patrons of the dance include Dr. and Mrs. John Hewson, Dr. and Mrs. Richard Horwell, Dr. and Mrs. Richard Mackenson, Dr. and Mrs. Robert G. Murphy, Dr. and Mrs. John A. Shea, Dr. and Mrs. George Sommers, Dr. and Mrs. William Tomlinson, Dr. and Mrs. John Witman and Mr. and Mrs. George Astbury.

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Boro Council To Consider New Tax Bill

An ordinance taxing all coin-operated devices in Morrisville will be considered by borough council at its next meeting.

Authorization to draw up the ordinance was given to borough solicitor Phillip Jones when council met to continue codification of the borough's ordinances Wednesday.

Morrisville currently has an amusement device tax that brought in $750 in 1959 and is expected to bring in $1,080 this year. The new tax will bring in about $4,000, one official estimated.

The amusement device tax now in force collects a flat $50 fee from owners and operators of pinball machines, jukeboxes and the like. The new bill will include soda machines, candy machines and all other vending devices. The new bill will lower the $50 tax by spreading the burden over a wider base, an official said.

Redland Elected Head Of Company

Alfred O. Redland has been named president and general manager of the Vulcanized Rubber and Plastics Company of Morrisville. He was elected at a board of directors meeting.

Named directors were Morrisville Burgess Harry Simpson, Redland, Mrs. Catherine M. Gale, William F. Heefner, Wesley A. Konover, Prescott Beach, David H. H. Felix and Kathryn M. Renzulli.

Konover, 13 Patton Ave., Princeton, was also elected treasurer.

Other officers of the company are Beach of Rumson, N. J., chairman of the board; and Mrs. Welsh, of Trenton, secretary.

Redland, 745 North Pennsylvania Ave., Morrisville, has been associated with the firm since 1929. He has held the offices of vice president, treasurer and controller. He is a charter member of the Trenton Chapter, National Association of Accountants, a



A. O. REDLAND

member of the Controllers Institue, the Morrisville Rotary Club and the Morrisville Presbyterian Church.

Konover is a charter member of the accountants' group and is serving his second year as vice president of the Trenton Chapter after having previously served as director of the chapter for several years. He is also a member of the Philadelphia Chapter, National Society of Business Budgeting.

Mrs. Gale has been an employe of the company since 1927. Heefner is a partner in the law firm of Curtin and Heefner of Morrisville. Felix, of Philadelphia, is an attorney for the corporation and Miss Renzulli is an attorney with the law firm of Curtin and Heefner.

K Of C Ladies Plan Show, Social Event

A covered dish social and fashion show will be held by the Ladies of Columbus, Morrisville Council 3673, Tuesday at 7 p.m. in the Holy Trinity Church rectory meeting room.

The event will begin with the covered dish supper, followed by the show which will be sponsored by Pomeroy's Department Store. The show will feature fall fashion accessories.

Hostesses for the evening will include Mrs. Daniel Kovacs, chairman of the program; Mrs. Frances Noonan and Mrs. Kenneth Fuller. Mrs. Ronald Marrazzo is in charge of decorations.

Mrs. Kovacs has asked members to bring a covered dish with them. The auxiliary will provide dessert.

Those interested in joinning the group have been invited to attend the affair. To be eligible for membership women must be at least 18 years old and a wife, mother or sister of a male member of the Knights of Columbus in good standing. Widows of former members are also eligible for membership.

Two Churches Plan Parts In World Rite

World - wide Communion will be observed at two local churches this weekend.

A Deacon's offereing, proceeds of which will be used to settle a Netherlands refugee family in Morrisville, will be collected at Morrisville's First Presbyterian Church.

"Where Does God Fit In?" will be the topic of a sermon at communion rites at the Woodside Presbyterian Church. Services will be held at 9:45 and 11 a.m. The communion meditation in the Morrisville church will be led by the Rev. Clifford G. Pollock.

The world - wide communion service began in 1936 after a group of Presbyterian ministers, seeking an antidote to the discouragement of the thirties, after studying the spiritual needs and possibilities of the church during the depression days, decided that all Presbyterian Churches in the world should celebrate the Lord's Supper at the same time each year.



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Mac, Ike To Confer On Nikita's Tactics

NEW YORK (UPI) — British Prime Minister Harold Macmillan will fly to Washington for a weekend conference with President Eisenhower on the roughhouse tactics of Nikita Khruschev at the United Nations, it was disclosed today.

Macmillan will go to Washington Saturday afternoon and return to New York Sunday evening.

The prime minister held a two-man summit meeting with Khrushchev Thursday night that lasted for more than two hours and ended in what appeared to be a complete deadlock between East and West.

Khrushchev did not see the British prime minister out to his car. Macmillan emerged without a word. His face was taut.

A British Foreign Office spokesman revealed the two men had made no progress on the three major problems they discussed—Berlin, disarmament or the Russian call for dismissal of U.N. Secretary Dag Hammarskjold.

State Their Views

"Each side expressed its views and held to them," the spokesman said.

American U.N. Ambassador James Wadsworth said earlier this week that unless Khrushchev showed some reasonableness his visit would be useless and the sooner he went home the better.

At the Khrushchev-Macmillan meeting:

—Agreement was reached on one thing. Khrushchev will repay Macmillan's visit early next week. Meantime they will think over their differences.

—The question of President Eisenhower seeing Khrushchev was not discussed.

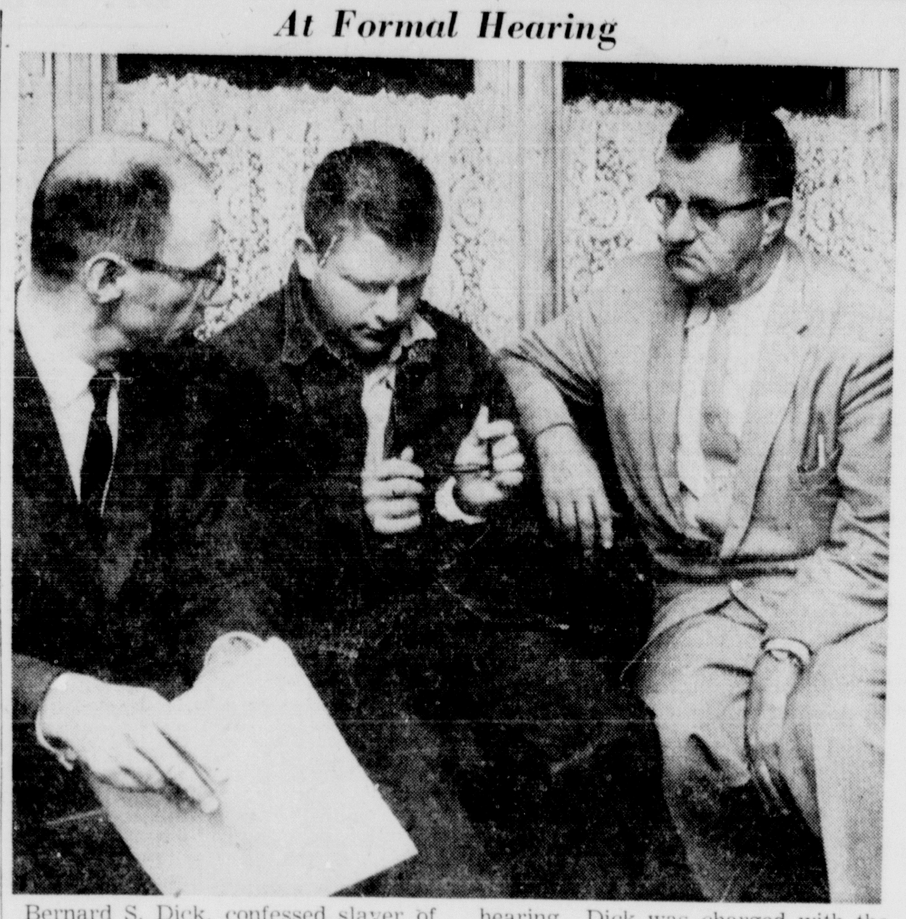
—Macmillan will stay here longer than he originally intended. He may see Eisenhower again before he returns to London.

Under Umbrella

Just before Macmillan arrived at the Soviet headquarters residence, Khrushchev came out under an umbrella and compared Macmillan with Neville Chamberlain, the World War II prime minister who has been blamed for appeasing Hitler. Khrushchev said Macmillan was taking a similar role with German Chancellor Konrad Adenauer.

The Foreign Office spokesman was asked whether Macmillan was aware that Khrushchev had characterized him as a "Chamberlain."

At Formal Hearing



Bernard S. Dick, confessed slayer of Mrs. Hannah Sullivan, puts on his glasses as Chief County Detective Clarence Irwin (right) and Dick's attorney, Donald Van Artsdalen watch. The scene took place last night at a hearing. Dick was charged with the hammer slaying of his mother-in-law and held for the next term of the County Grand Jury. (Courier-Times Photo)

Castro Assures Americans They Will Be Safe In Cuba

HAVANA (UPI)—Premier Fidel Castro assured Americans in an unscheduled midnight television appearance early today that they would be safe in Cuba.

The bearded Cuban branded the State Department's action urging American families to return home as "an insidious campaign" against his government. He said "American citizens who are here and who come here to visit will have no problems" with his regime.

"They (American citizens) are not to blame for the errors of the United States government," he said, during his two and one-half hour appearance.

Americans by the dozens meanwhile heeded Washington's advice and jammed airline offices to get passage home.

"The call for Americans to return to their country only serves to bother American families who live here . . . who reside here by choice."

No Nicaro Comment

He had no comment on the U.S. decision Thursday to close down the $110 million Nicaro nickel plant because of "confiscatory taxes and harassment" by his regime.

Castro told the panel of newsmen and commentators who accompanied him to the United Nations that "we shall return (there) with greatest pleasure. (But) it all depends on what the circumstances are."

He also announced that Soviet Premier Nikita S. Khrushchev was "definitely coming" to Cuba but that "it is not yet known when . . ." and that United Arab Republic President Gamal Abdel Nasser would be coming in March.

Rejection of a new protest note from Washington by Castro's government strained relations between Cuba and the United States almost to the breaking point.

Castro declined to comment on the note and said, "Notes from the embassy are now routine things. They do not merit any comment."

Foreign Office sources said the note—believed to be a protest against the Castro regime's seizure of three American banks—was "energetically" rejected because it "violated the most elementary rules and principles of diplomacy."

Criticism Bitter

Cuba's official press and radio were bitterly critical of the State Department warning, describing it as a "provocation" and an "aggression" against Cuba.

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Ike Talks At Session Of Polish-Americans

CHICAGO (UPI) — President Eisenhower said today this nation must oppose any force "that would make the state a deity and the individual a plodding animal."

The President addressed a meeting of the Polish-American Congress prior to departing for Denver to attend the funeral of his mother-in-law.

Most of the President's talk was on international affairs and the quest for freedom but he worked in some comments on American politics.

He urged the Polish group to vote. There was laughter, shared by the President, when he said: "it makes no diffence as far as I'm concerned . . ."

The President quickly added, "I don't mean to say I'm disinterested," then, after the laughter, continued to say that it makes no difference "what individual or party" the members of the audience selected "so far as you're voting your convictions."

Eisenhower, in an address at a GOP fund-rasing banquet last night, gave Vice President Richard M. Nixon his strongest endorsement by describing him as the man best-prepared to enter the White House.

Masking personal sorrow at the death of his wife's mother, the President drew applause more than 20 times and responded buoyantly at a GOP fund-raising dinner as he joined forces with Vice President Richard M. Nixon through cross-country closed circuit television.

Argentina Says German Not Bormann

BUENOS AIRES (UPI) — Interior Minister Alfredo Vitolo said early today it appears certain the one-armed German arrested last week is not Martin Bormann, but that he may be some other important Nazi figure."

Vitolo said he hopes to determine definitely today whether the suspect is 48-year-old Walter Flegel as his identity card says he is.

The Argentina official said "all the available evidence" contradicts the theory that Flegel actually is Bormann, the wartime Hitler deputy who was officially declared dead six years ago.

He said Flegel's body measurements do not tally with Bormann's, while his papers say he is 12 years younger than Bormann would be if he were still alive.

Vitolo added, however, that authorities here are checking "discrepancies" in Flegel's story which may prove that he is a major Nazi fugitive.

One major question that remained unanswered was exactly how Flegel lost his right arm.

Judge's Wallet Stolen; Window Washer Held

NORRISTOWN, Pa. (UPI)—Nathaniel Pickron, 38, of Philadelphia, was washing windows at the Norristown Court House yesterday and got involved in a burglary charge.

Deputy Sheriff Morton Bailey said he responded to a court crier's shout and rushed into courtroom D in time to grab Pickron after he allegedly picked the wallet from Judge Robert W. Honeyman's coat which was hung on a chair.

Judge Honeyman was holding court in the next room.

A magistrate held Pickron, a parolee, in $500 bail.

State Processing 10,000 Korean Bonus Applications

HARRISBURG (UPI) — The head of the Korean Bonus Bureau announced today that his department has approximately 10,000 applications which it is now processing, and requests for the state payment are still being received at the rate of 100 daily.

Director Jerry M. Echard said most of the applications could be processed within four weeks, but others would require several months because of the difficulty in establishing eligibility.

Payments reached the $85 million mark in August, and about $200,000 in additional funds has been paid out since that time, he said. About 90 per cent of the estimated 401,800 eligible Korean veterans have received payments by mid-August.

Echard said when the bonus payment program was opened, Univac was used to process the applications but that has been discontinued and only occasional updating with Univac is used.

Echard said his present staff of 21 persons would be cut to 12 or 15 by the first of the year.

Veterans are eligible to apply for the bonus payments until Dec. 31, 1963.

Suffocation Of Twins Blamed On Broken Valve

PHILADELPHIA (UPI) — The suffocation of nine-month-old twin brothers here last Monday was attributed by police yesterday to the accidental breaking of a radiator valve in their bedroom by their seven-year-old brother.

Homicide detectives said Clifford Wright Jr., was unable to sleep and entered the twins' bedroom to look out the window at traffic. Police said the boy stepped on the valve as he boosted himself to a windowsill and broke it off.

Escaping steam from the radiator frightened the boy and he left the room. The twins, George and Richard, died of heat and suffocation as the steam raised the temperature to 180 degrees in their closed room.

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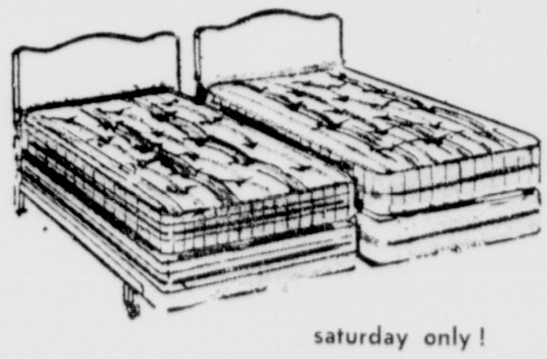
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